

## Locals.

**THE MUNICIPAL TICKETS.**—The mass meeting to nominate city officers assembled in Brown's Opera House last Wednesday night. Mr. J. C. Buxton was chosen chairman and Col. James Martin as secretary. Before proceeding to the nomination of candidates Mr. C. B. Watson read a resolution, the substance of which was that the candidates nominated for mayor and commissioners feel themselves in honor bound to carry out the will of the people on the subject of liquor license as it may be expressed in the coming local option election in June, and deprecating the idea of forcing the prohibition question into politics. The resolution was adopted by a very decided vote. Mr. H. Montague then placed in nomination for Mayor Mr. Chas. Buford, the present incumbent, whereupon Mr. C. B. Watson, disclaiming any hostility to Mr. Buford, nominated Judge T. J. Wilson. There being no further nominations a vote was taken by ballot, when it appeared that Judge Wilson had a majority of 52.

S. H. Smith nominated as Graded School Commissioner J. A. Gray, and J. C. Buxton nominated Rev. Calvin H. Wiley. Mr. Gray declined to let his name be used and Mr. Wiley was nominated by acclamation. The meeting then divided into ward meetings to select candidates for commissioners, with the following result:

1st Ward—A. Smith, S. H. Hodgins.  
2nd Ward—J. W. Alspaugh, A. B. Gorrell.  
3rd Ward—S. A. Ogburn, W. W. Wood.  
4th Ward—D. H. Starbuck.

**THE OPPOSITION TICKET.**—On the following night a meeting was held in the Court House in pursuance of a call by a majority of the Democratic committee. Mr. B. J. Shepherd was elected chairman and Messrs. Snider, of the *Twin City Daily*, and E. A. Olmham, of the *Sentinel*, secretaries. Mr. Kerner nominated for Mayor Mr. Chas. Buford, and there being no other nomination Mr. Buford was declared the nominee by acclamation. Capt. M. W. Norfleet was then unanimously nominated as Graded School Commissioner. The convention then separated into ward meetings to nominate commissioners, when the following names were announced:

1st Ward—Phil N. Bailey, J. F. Harris.  
2nd " —A. J. Gales, R. D. Moseley.  
3rd " —J. A. White, J. A. Jacobs.  
4th " —F. G. Schaum.

On the following day Messrs. M. W. Norfleet, P. N. Bailey and R. D. Moseley published cards declining to run for the offices for which they were nominated.

**THE CITY ELECTION.**—While there was a good deal of interest manifested in the municipal election Monday, it passed off quietly and good naturedly. The following are the official figures as to the result:

## CITIZENS TICKET.

For Mayor: T. J. Wilson, 569.  
For Commissioners: S. H. Hodgins, 726; A. A. Smith, 579; D. H. Starbuck, 566; A. B. Gorrell, 574; J. W. Alspaugh, 578; S. A. Ogburn, 491; W. W. Wood, 595.  
For Graded School Commissioner: Dr. C. H. Wiley, 464.

## OPPOSITION TICKET.

For Mayor: C. Buford, 173.  
For Commissioners: J. F. Harris, 148; A. J. Gales, 169; J. A. White, 163; F. G. Schaum, 124; E. J. Allen, 184; J. Jacobs, 230.

For Graded School Commissioner: M. W. Norfleet, 115; C. Hamlen, 98.

S. H. Hodgins, in fourth ward was substituted for P. N. Bailey, who was nominated by Convention at Court House and declined, and E. J. Allen, of second ward, was substituted for R. D. Moseley nominated at Court House and also declined.

**ELECTION IN SALEM.**—There were three tickets run in Salem Monday. The following were elected, which is the old board, with the exception of S. E. Butler:

Mayor—C. H. Fogle.  
Commissioners—J. G. Sides, A. A. Spach, S. E. Butler, J. W. Sheppard, H. S. Crist, J. W. Fries, C. S. Hauser.

**ELECTION IN KERNERSVILLE.**—The following are the town officers elected in Kernersville Monday:

Mayor—L. E. Griffith.  
Commissioners—J. H. McKaughan, J. H. Lindsay, W. M. Linville, J. S. King, B. A. Brown.

Town Constable—W. B. Gamble.

—The dogwoods are in blossom and the woods are white with their beautiful flowers.

**CHANGE OF SCHEDULE.**—The leaving time of the train for Greensboro in the morning is an hour earlier, 5:55, instead of 6:55, as formerly. There is no change in the evening train.

## DECORATION DAY.

How Winston and Salem will Celebrate the 10th of May—Everybody Invited.

The Committee of Arrangements at their meeting Saturday adopted the following

## PROGRAMME OF EXERCISES:

The procession will form at the Court House Square, in Winston, at 2 o'clock, sharp, under direction of the Chief Marshal and assistant Marshals, in the following order:

1. The Salem Cornet Band.
2. All ex-Confederate and Federal Soldiers.
3. Forsyth Riflemen.
4. Fire companies.
5. Carriages, containing Mayors of Winston and Salem, Chaplain and the Orator.
6. Citizens.

## LINE OF MARCH:

Up Liberty street to Fifth, along Fifth to Cherry, then down Cherry to Old Shallow Ford, in Salem, along Shallow Ford to Main, down Main to the Public Square in Salem, around the Public Square, back up Main to the corner at the Big Coffee Pot and thence to the Cemetery.

At the Cemetery the Decoration of Graves by the Ladies and the firing of salutes by the Military.

After which the procession will reform in the original order and proceed back to Main street and up Main to the Opera House in Winston, where the following exercises will take place:

1. Music.
2. Prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. Edward Rondthaler, D. D.
3. Music.
4. Address by the Orator of the day, Col. L. L. Polk.
5. Music.
6. Benediction.

The ladies, all ex-Confederate Soldiers, Federal Soldiers, Citizens and everybody are cordially invited to be present and participate in the exercises of the occasion.

By order of the Committee of Arrangements.

T. J. BROWN, Chm'n.

Maj. T. J. Brown was chosen Chief Marshal with authority to select his assistant Marshals.

The following are the committees appointed to raise funds for the 10th of May celebration:

**Ladies, Winston.**—Miss Mary Norfleet, Miss Mary Gorrell, Miss Kate Bittling, Miss Minnie Thompson.

**Salem.**—Miss Claud Winkler, Miss Emma Cooper, Miss Gertrude Jenkins.

**Gentlemen, Winston.**—E. J. Allen, W. B. Williamson.

**Salem.**—Frank Vogler, John Brietz.

**MEETING OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.**—The County Commissioners met Monday. Among other proceedings, not of general interest, they ordered that a bridge be built across the Little Yadkin river at or near Spainhour's mills, on the road from Bethania to Dobson, and E. L. Reed, Wm. Butler, and J. W. Spease, were appointed commissioners to let out the contract to the lowest bidder.

John F. Griffith was appointed tax lister in Linville township in place of J. P. Brinkley, who could not serve.

The stock law election in Abbott's Creek having been carried, the board declared the law in force on and after the 1st day of June.

The registrar and Judges appointed at last meeting for the local option election in Salem having refused to serve, N. T. Shore, registrar, and E. A. Elbert and Thomas Spauld, judges, were appointed in their places.

A local option election was ordered in Kernersville township, to be held on the first Monday in June. The following were appointed to hold the election: J. S. Ray, registrar, N. W. Sapp, and A. H. S. Beard, judges.

—The entertainment by the scholars of the Graded School at Brown's Opera House Thursday night was witnessed and enjoyed by a very large audience, and did credit, not only to the scholars who acquitted themselves handsomely, but also to the instructors.

—A two-year old son of Dr. Press Tucker, of Clemmons, died April the 25th from the effects of a scald received a few days previous.

—Wheat in the neighborhood of Clemmons is bidding fair for a good crop. Oats are looking well since the recent rains. T. F. Jones has tobacco plants large enough to set.

**LEAD DIET.**—A short while ago Mr. J. W. Fries had some new lead water pipes placed in his house, in Salem. The pipes began to leak, and on examination it was found that the rats had eaten out a piece in one place a couple of inches long, and in another some distance from this nearly as large. It is not often that rats show a fondness for lead diet.

—The widow ladies belonging to the Moravian congregation celebrated their annual lovefeast on Sunday.

—We learn that a young man named Gunter, employed in guarding convicts on the Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley Railroad, near Dalton's, in Stokes county, accidentally shot himself on Easter Monday, the charge of shot entering one of his legs and one of his arms.

—While David Knott was engaged at work on a chimney at Mr. T. H. Kearn's residence on Main street in Salem, Saturday afternoon, the scaffolding broke down, precipitating Mr. Knott to the ground, inflicting severe injuries.

—Dr. Calthrop, a New York weather prophet, gives us the following for this month: "A storm followed by a cold wave, will begin to manifest itself in the Northern United States, east of the Rocky Mountains, by Tuesday, May 18, probably reaching central New York by Thursday, May 20."

## Winston Tobacco Market.

Week closed with moderate breaks. Some increase in quality at opening sales Monday, with much common and soft tobaccos. No change to note since last week—as to prices:

LUGS—Common,	\$ 2.50 to \$ 3.50
" Medium,	4.50 to 5.00
" Good,	8.00 to 10.00
" Fine,	13.00 to 16.00
LEAF—Common,	\$ 4.00 to \$ 5.00
" Medium,	6.50 to 8.00
" Good,	10.00 to 12.50
CUTTERS—Good,	\$18.00 to \$20.00
" Fine,	25.00 to 28.00
RICH, WAXY FILLERS,	\$12.00 to \$14.00
WRAPPERS—Common,	\$16.00 to \$20.00
" Medium,	25.00 to 30.00
" Good,	35.00 to 45.00
" Fine,	50.00 to 60.00

## State Items.

—The State Fair will be held this year Oct. 24th. The State and the Board of Agriculture give \$3,000. The management is determined to make it the greatest Fair yet held.—*Raleigh Chronicle*.

—Our people are determined to have a railroad and the route is from Durham to Lynchburg via Roxboro.

—The Board of Directors of the Durham and Roxboro railroad organized Saturday morning by the election of the following officers: President, Julian S. Carr; Vice President, W. Duke; Secretary, Geo. W. Watts; Treasurer, Eugene Morehead.—*Durham Plant*.

—Work on the Durham, Roxboro and Lynchburg Railroad will probably be commenced within the next sixty days.—Judge Clark has continued the Graded School injunction cases for twenty days to give more time to examine the authorities on the subject.—Rev. Jno. Tillett, one of the oldest Methodist ministers in N. C., has surrendered his circuit, and retired from the active ministry owing to infirm health and old age.—*Durham Recorder*.

—Mr. Thomas W. Hampton, a worthy citizen of Sauratown township, had the misfortune to lose his house and all his personal effects by fire last Thursday afternoon.

From present prospects we will have a large apple and peach crop, notwithstanding reports to the contrary.—We have been shown by Mr. Campbell a specimen of beautiful marble, taken from the Bolejack quarry near this place. The marble will compare favorably with other specimens found in the United States, and the quantity is said to be inexhaustible.—*Germanon Enterprise*.

—The tobacco growers of this section have set out millions of tobacco plants the present week.—Encouraging reports come from every direction.—A band of desperadoes during a week past have been committing numerous depredations upon the inhabitants of the neighborhood between Abbott's Creek and this place. Amongst other things they assaulted, on separate occasions, two girls, one white the other colored, but the girls ran and escaped. Some think they are escaped convicts. A white man and two negroes have been seen frequently.—*High Point Enterprise*.

## A CARD.

MR F H HYATT, Special Agent for the Valley Mutual Life Association, of Virginia—SIR:—Permit me to express my appreciation of the promptness and business-like manner with which you paid the Life Policy of \$3,000 on the life of John P. Secret, of Monroe, Union county. The action of your Company in thus promptly adjusting this claim must commend it to the favor of all honest people.

H C ASHCRAFT,

Winston, N C, April 29, 1886.

## SOMETHING FOR EVERYBODY!

## Premiums to the Workers!

FOR THE FARMERS, FOR THE LADIES, FOR THE BOYS AND FOR THE GIRLS.

THE PROGRESSIVE FARMER is a live, and as its name indicates, a progressive paper, devoted to the interests of the farmers of North Carolina, and will be filled each week with twenty-five columns of reading matter, editorial, correspondence from leading farmers and others, farm notes for the farmer, household receipts for the housekeeper, stories for young and old, miscellaneous matter, mirth, wit, &c., for all.

It will be kept up to the full standard of modern agricultural journalism. We propose to make it a paper that North Carolina farmers may not only read with profit, but one of which they may be proud.

We hope in the near future to see it become a weekly visitor in the households of thousands of farmers.

In this work we have the sympathies and good wishes of many friends, who send us cheering words and write us encouraging letters, all of which we appreciate.

We want our friends to help us extend the circulation of this paper. We do not expect nor ask them to give us their time for nothing, and accordingly we offer as compensation for the service that may be rendered us in securing clubs of subscribers for one year, the following

## SPLENDID PREMIUM LIST

embracing articles of real value to the farmer, to the farmer's wife, to the boy and to the girl.

There is no chance work, no prize lottery business, in this, and no Cheap John goods are offered.

Every one who works for us is sure of getting either one of the premiums offered, and everything offered is guaranteed by us and by the responsible parties who supply them as being up to the standard and of full value as represented.

The premiums will be securely packed, addressed to the getters up of clubs and placed on the cars at Winston free of cost.

Clubs of over sixteen may be divided between two or more post offices, but clubs of sixteen or under must be addressed to one post office.

The offer of this premium list will hold good for three months, that is to the first of June next. Now here is a chance for active men, good women, boys and girls, to help us extend the circulation of THE PROGRESSIVE FARMER, get a substantial and valuable premium, and benefit themselves.

The receipt of lists for clubs will be duly acknowledged in our columns from week to week.

If you don't want any of the premiums send us six subscribers and get your own copy free.

## Without a Dollar you may get one of J P. Nissen's celebrated Two-Horse Wagons.

For a Club of 200 yearly subscribers sent to us with the CASH, by the 1st of September next, we will give a J. P. NISSEN WAGON, two-horse, medium, complete with cover, worth \$80.00.

To the one who shall send us the largest number of subscribers over 200, we will give a Wagon and a splendid double set of Hand Made Harness complete, Bridles, Collars and Reins, worth \$95.00.

No. 1. FOR A CLUB OF 25.  
One Leader Corn Sheller. Capacity 25 to 40 bushels per hour, worth \$10.00.

No. 2. FOR A CLUB OF 16.  
One Smith Feed Cutter, worth \$6.50.

No. 3. FOR A CLUB OF 9.  
One plantation Bell, with fixtures complete for hanging, weight 75 pounds, \$3.75.

No. 4. FOR A CLUB OF 8.  
One Farmers' Friend Plow with wrench, extra point and mould board, worth \$3.25.

No. 5. FOR A CLUB OF 50.  
One Double-barrel Breech Loading Shot Gun. 30 inch barrels, No. 12 gauge, worth \$20.00.

No. 6. FOR A CLUB OF 26.  
One China Set of 56 pieces, worth \$10.50.

No. 7. FOR A CLUB OF 7.  
One Disston's Cross Cut Saw, six feet long, worth \$2.50.

(The above goods we get from S. E. Allen, Winston, N. C.)

No. 8. FOR A CLUB OF 25.  
One Dexter Corn Sheller, without fan. Capacity 25 to 40 bushels per hour, worth \$10.00.

No. 9. FOR A CLUB OF 30.  
The Dexter Sheller, with fan, worth \$12.00.

No. 10. FOR A CLUB OF 8.  
One Boy Dixie Plow, wrench, extra point and mould board, worth \$3.25.

No. 11. FOR A CLUB OF 32.  
One Double-barrel Shot Gun, Muzzle loader, 40 inch, steel barrels, worth \$13.00.

No. 12. FOR A CLUB OF 6.  
Four splendid Steel Hoes, worth \$2.00.

No. 13. FOR A CLUB OF 14.  
One eight day, walnut frame Clock, worth \$5.00.

No. 14. FOR A CLUB OF 8.  
One day Clock, with weights, worth \$2.75.

No. 15. FOR A CLUB OF 9.  
One day Clock, walnut frame, worth \$3.50.

No. 16. FOR A CLUB OF 4.  
One day Nickel Clock, worth \$1.50.

No. 17. FOR A CLUB OF 7.  
One day Nickel Clock, with alarm attachment, worth \$2.50.

No. 18. FOR A CLUB OF 25.  
One good Silver Watch, genuine American lever, worth \$10.00.

(These goods we get from W. T. Vogler, Winston, N. C., and are guaranteed.)

No. 19. FOR A CLUB OF 32.  
One No. 7 "Salem" Cook Stove, with 13 pieces and 3 joints of pipe and one elbow—a splendid Cook Stove, worth \$13.25.

No. 20. FOR A CLUB OF 27.  
Sixty-six feet of 10 inch Tobacco Flues with six elbows and two caps, an outfit for a barn 16 feet square, worth \$10.30.

No. 21. FOR A CLUB OF 7.  
One Tin Chamber Set, 3 pieces and neatly painted, worth \$2.50.

(These goods we get from Giersh, Senseman & Co., Salem, N. C.)

No. 22. FOR A CLUB OF 9.  
One Patch Hand Corn Sheller, to be attached to an ordinary box, guaranteed and will last a life time, worth \$3.00.

No. 23. FOR A CLUB OF 17.  
One Kitchen Safe, 3 shelves, one drawer—all poplar and very neat, worth \$7.00.

No. 24. FOR A CLUB OF 11.  
One Dining Table, 3x4 feet, with drawer—all poplar and very neat, worth \$4.50.

No. 25. FOR A CLUB OF 35.  
One Dressing Case, 3 drawers, quarter marble, 2 toilet drawers and glass—walnut and very neat, worth \$14.00.

(These goods we get from A. C. Vogler, Salem, N. C.)

No. 26. For a Club of 30.  
One "Daisy" Feed Cutter, 6 inch blades, worth \$12.00.

No. 27. For a Club of 35.  
One "Telegraph" Feed Cutter, No. 5, worth \$14.00.

No. 28. For a Club of 18.  
One Saddle, quilted seat, ull stock, worth \$7.50.

No. 29. For a Club of 25.  
One Single Buggy or Single Wagon Harness, with bridle, reins and collar, worth \$10.00.

No. 30. For a Club of 37.  
One Set Double Wagon Harness, bridles, collars and reins, hand made, worth \$15.00.

No. 31. For a Club of 9.  
One Clipper Plow (one horse) extra point and mould board, worth \$3.50.

No. 32. For a Club of 3.  
One Pair neat Andirons, worth \$1.00.

No. 33. For a Club of 15.  
One Hand Saw, one Chisel 1/4 inch, one Chisel 1 inch, one Auger 1/4 inch, one Drawing Knife, one Hammer, one Square and one Hatchet—all first class, worth \$6.00.

For a Club of 3. One good Brace, adjustable socket, with 4 bits, worth \$1.40.

(These goods we get from Brown, Rogers & Co., Winston, N. C.)

No. 34. For a Club of 8.  
One Sack (107 pounds) Lister's Ammoniated Phosphate for Tobacco, worth \$3.33.

No. 35. For a Club of 10.  
One Sack (200 pounds) of either British Mixture, G. Ober & Son's Special Compound, Owl Brand Tobacco Guano, or Game Guano—all for Tobacco, worth \$4.00.

(These goods we get from W. T. Carter & Co., Winston, N. C.)

No. 36. For a Club of 50.  
One Tate's Victor Grain and Seed Separator and Grader, with wheat screens complete—capacity 20 bushels per hour. Has complete self bagging arrangement. Will give four grades of the grain—bagging each grade separately if desired. The best and simplest Separator or Fan in the United States, worth \$22.50.

(Manufactured by Winston Agricultural Works, Winston, N. C., and guaranteed.)

Send names, with post office and county plainly written, with cash, addressed to L. L. POLK,

PROGRESSIVE FARMER,

Winston, N. C.

Now go to work and see who can send us the most names in the shortest time.